# Mountain Weather Forecast

## North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 29 Nov 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 30 Nov 2023

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 28 Nov 2023 at 15:37 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High confidence for continued cold and wintry conditions through the next 5 days.

**Headline for Wednesday 29 Nov 2023:** Cloudy, sunny spells and a few snow showers.

**Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 29 Nov 2023**

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|---|---|---|
| **Blizzards**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent snow**<br>No Likelihood | **Storm force winds**<br>No Likelihood |
| **Gales**<br>No Likelihood | **Severe chill effect**<br>High Likelihood | **Poor visibility**<br>Low Likelihood |
| **Thunderstorms**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent rain**<br>No Likelihood | **Strong sunlight**<br>No Likelihood |

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | | | |
| 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Light snow showers (night) | Light snow showers (night) | Light snow showers (night) | Light snow showers | Light snow showers | Light snow showers | Light snow showers (night) | Light snow showers (night) |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | | | |
| 40% | 30% | 20% | 20% | 60% | 50% | 30% | 20% |

**Forecast for Wednesday 29 Nov 2023**

**Weather:** Cloudy with a few snow showers, mainly in the north, otherwise mainly dry with clear spells south overnight. Cloudy, bright spells and a few snow showers. Drier with the best of any bright or sunny spells over southern ranges.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 60% south at first, lowering 30% by the afternoon.

**Low cloud and visibility:** Patchy cloud south at first otherwise broken cloud 700-900m lowering 400-600m in snow showers. Visibility will be poor in cloud and snow, otherwise very good.

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**Forecast for Wednesday 29 Nov 2023**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) | | | | | Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 16/20 N | 14/18 N | 17/23 N | 19/26 N | 20/27 NW | 21/28 N | 21/28 NE | 19/26 NE | 16/23 NE |
| **900** | 11/14 N | 11/14 N | 12/16 N | 11/15 N | 14/19 NW | 16/21 N | 16/22 NE | 14/19 NE | 11/15 NE |
| **600** | 6/9 NW | 7/9 N | 6/9 N | 7/10 SW | 8/12 W | 9/13 N | 9/14 NE | 6/11 E | 5/9 NW |
| **300** | 4/9 N | 3/7 N | 3/7 N | 2/6 SW | 4/10 W | 6/14 N | 5/12 NE | 3/9 NE | 2/4 NE |
| **Glen** | 4/12 NW | 3/10 NW | 4/12 NW | 3/12 NW | 5/17 NW | 4/15 N | 4/12 NE | 3/9 NE | 2/7 NW |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | -8/-16 | -8/-16 | -8/-17 | -8/-17 | -7/-16 | -7/-15 | -7/-16 | -8/-17 | -8/-16 |
| **900** | -5/-11 | -5/-11 | -5/-12 | -6/-12 | -4/-11 | -4/-10 | -4/-12 | -5/-12 | -5/-11 |
| **600** | -3/-7 | -3/-7 | -3/-7 | -3/-7 | -2/-7 | -2/-6 | -2/-7 | -3/-7 | -3/-7 |
| **300** | -1/-4 | -2/-4 | -2/-4 | -2/-4 | -1/-3 | -0/-3 | -1/-4 | -2/-4 | -2/-4 |
| **Glen** | -1/-5 | -2/-4 | -2/-5 | -3/-4 | -0/-4 | 1/-2 | -0/-3 | -1/-3 | -1/-3 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 100m | 100m | 100m | 00m | 200m | 300m | 200m | 100m | 100m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**
It will feel very cold at height.

**Forecast for Thursday 30 Nov 2023**
**Weather:** Cloudy with bright spells and scattered snow showers, these mainly over northern ranges.

**Maximum wind:** Northwest 20-25mph gust 35mph.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 40%

**Low cloud and visibility:** Patchy cloud southern ranges at first otherwise cloud will be broken 400-600m Visibility will be poor in cloud and snow, otherwise good.

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Minus 3 Celsius rising to plus 4 Celsius.
**At 800m:** Minus 3 Celsius.
**Freezing level:** 200m

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